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Dithia-7-Azaspido (4.4)-Nonane  
8-Carboxylic Acids

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please enter the following amendments in the above-  
identified application:

In the Specification:

On pages 3 and 4 in formulae III and VI, insert a  
line between the "H" and the carbon at the 2-position of  
the ring (i.e., partial structures will be drawn as follows:

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{-HN-C-COOH}. \end{array}$$

On page 5, line 4, delete the formula on the right  
and insert instead

